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## MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Concurrence in Amendment No. 6 to Contract No. BC-450 Hycon Mfg. Company, Pasadena, California,

Project AQUATONE

1. This memorandum contains a recommendation submitted for approval of the Project Director. Such recommendation is set forth in Paragraph 5.

2. Contract No. BC-450 provides for modification, repair and overhaul of photographic equipment and related ground support equipment developed and being produced by the subject contractor and the Perkin-Elmer Corporation for Project ACHATONE

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3. The contract is effective for the period 1 July 1956 through 30 June 1958. The Contractor has advised that additional funds are required as follows:

\$211,000 For Feb. thru June 58

137.000

\$348,000

In view of the recent cut-back this Amendment No. 6 provides for additional funds as follows:

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By concurrence to this memorandum the Project Comptroller signifies that sufficient funds are available for this additional obligation. The amendment also provides for revised provisional billing rates.

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- 4. Certification of funds for this contract will be handled under the procedure approved by the Director of Central Intelligence on 15 December 1956, which in effect results in all 10(b) expenses involving issuance of Treasury Checks being accumulated in a separate account within the Finance Division. The amounts in this account will be periodically scheduled for certification of the vouchers by the Director. This procedure eliminates the necessity for a separate certification of authority under Section 10(b) of Public Law 110, 81st Congress, for each contract.
- 5. Approval of Amendment No. 2 to Contract No. BC-450 and execution thereof on behalf of the Agency by the authorized Project Contracting Officer is recommended.



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